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John C. Goodwin III et al.

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD OF CONFIGURING VALUE CARDS

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Title	SYSTEM AND METHOD OF CONFIGURING VALUE CARDS
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